

## A MILE IN 2:04.

Nancy Hanks, the Wonder,  
Makes a Trotting Mark

That Totally Knocks All Other Records  
in the Shade.

A Howling Mob Surrounds the Queen of  
the Turf—Grand Ovation Tendered  
Mare and Driver—The Trot Took  
Place at Terre Haute, Ind.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 29.—Nancy Hanks smashed all the world's records Wednesday, kate and otherwise, by trotting a mile on the Terre Haute regulation track in the marvelous time of 2:04. In the presence of one of the largest crowds ever seen at the track—crowds that came in on trains from all sections of Indiana and the eastern part of Illinois.

Terre Haute was given up completely to Nancy Wednesday night, and she can have anything in the town, even the courthouse. Every body sings the praises of the wonderful little mare.

Nancy went at the first effort, and came down to the start like the whirlwind, keyed to the effort by the master hand of A. Doble. Around the track she flew as she had never done before. Every body in the vast grand stand seemed to believe that this was the trial of all trials, and when the mare came in under the wire in 2:04 a shout went up that lasted fully ten minutes. It was simply indescribable. Horse men embraced each other in the exuberance of their joy. Men jumped over the railing on to the track, and in the twinkling of an eye the horse and driver were surrounded by a yelling, frantic, mad mob. Doble was taken up in the grand stand in response to demands for a speech from the howling throng. He started to tell Starter Walter what to say for him, but the noise was so great that nothing could be heard of what Mr. Walker was saying. Doble himself was so overjoyed that he had reached a condition bordering on speechlessness. It was doubtful if he could have told where he was.

The quarters were as follows: 0:31, 1:02 3/4, 1:33 3/4, 2:04.

By the feat Wednesday, over the same track that Artell beat the world's stallion record in 2:12 and sold immediately afterward for the enormous sum of \$100,000. Doble wins the \$5,000 prize offered by Robert Bonner to the horse that went in 2:05 on a regulation track.

Wednesday's work will be something for trotters to shoot at for some time to come, and the officers of the Terre Haute Trotting association are delighted that the Terre Haute track has demonstrated again its claim to be known as the best and fastest track in the country.

It was nearly 5 o'clock when Bud Doble and the famous mare came out for the trial, and an assemblage of about 10,000 enthusiastic spectators greeted them with loud applause. After scoring with Nancy several times Doble took her clear up round the turn to get under full headway.

When starting Judge Frank Walker said, "go," in response to a nod from Doble. She was trotting at a rate that carried her to the eighth in 0:15 3/4. When the quarter was made in 0:31 everybody with a watch felt that something wonderful was at hand. Up the backstretch there was no perceptible change, though the second quarter was slower. The half being made in 1:02 3/4. That was record-breaking speed for circular tracks, but the sensation was to come.

Along the straight to the third quarter the peerless mare came at a clip that made the earlier part of the mile seem slow, taking only 29 3/4 seconds to cover the distance. Round the turn she came without a falter, moving like well-regulated clock-work, with Doble helping her and the pace-maker a length behind.

Starter Walker requested everybody to keep still until the mare finished, but he had scarcely finished speaking when her nose was even with the wire, and the watches stopped at 2:04 flat, a figure once deemed utterly beyond the power of any horse that trotted or paced. Every one knew that all records were swept away before President Ijams had made the announcement, and, as the crowd yelled itself hoarse, scores of excited men rushed out on the track to congratulate the clever reinsman who had placed the queen of the turf on a still higher pedestal. Mr. Ijams finally got a hearing, and in a brief speech said: "Terre Haute claims Nancy Hanks and Bud Doble as well. The feat just accomplished is beyond what has ever before been done in harness. The kite track is not in it."

He concluded by announcing the time by quarters. When he ended by stating the official time as 2:04 there was loud calls for Doble, who stood beside him in the judge's stand. The clever Chicago driver bowed his acknowledgement but declined to say anything. Nancy Hanks trotted her third quarter at a 1:58 clip, this marvelous flight enabled her to make the last half in 1:01 1/4. The mare seemed about as fresh when she finished as at the start and could probably have increased the rate a little at the first half.

Scarcely was this sensation over when George Starr, taking advantage of the smooth track, sent Monbars to beat his record of 2:14 3/4, made at Columbus last Saturday. The colt was in great form and lowered the record for three-year-old stallions, previously held by Artelle, trotting the mile in 2:11 3/4. His fractional time was 0:33 3/4, 1:07 3/4, 1:39 3/4, and the last quarter in 0:32. This was scarcely noticed, however, after the greater event that had preceded it.

Mesmerized Her.  
BALTIMORE, Sept. 29.—Mrs. D. W. Flack wants the court to annul her marriage to George Flack, who, she says or alleges mesmerized her so that she had no independent thought or power of resistance, and then brought her to the minister's, where they were married.

## GETTING TOGETHER.

Union Veterans' Hearty Thanks for a Confederate Welcome.

RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 29.—The members of the Grand Army of the Republic and their ladies in meeting in Lee Camp hall have adopted the following resolutions unanimously, which were offered by E. A. Nattinger, chief of staff, department of Illinois:

"Whereas, We sincerely feel the warmth and sincerity of the welcome, the purity of their purpose and the courtesy of the attention extended to us on the part of Lee camp confederate veterans, therefore be it

"Resolved, That we extend to the veterans of the camp our sincere thanks.

"Resolved, That we extend to Lee camp a most cordial and pressing invitation to visit us at our post room in the North and also the confederate camps of the South to come to us at our homes and test the sincerity of our invitation and the character of our hospitality."

The resolutions have been seconded by representatives from Maine, Vermont, Colorado, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Connecticut, Iowa, West Virginia, Minnesota, New York, Michigan, Rhode Island and New Hampshire and were unanimously adopted.

## MADE IDLE BY FIRE.

A Destructive Blaze in the Locomotive Works at Lima, O.

LIMA, O., Sept. 29.—Early Wednesday morning fire broke out in the truck room of the Lima Locomotive works in South Lima, and spread so rapidly that it was soon beyond control. The buildings were frame and the flames spread rapidly and everything was destroyed except the office building and the two foundries, located some distance away. Beside destroying the works there were about fifty boxes of tools, each valued at about \$50, belonging to the workmen, which were destroyed. A large number of box and gondola cars under course of construction were destroyed, and during the conflagration a couple of the tank cars which contained some oil burst and shattered every pane of glass in the Lake Erie & Western railroad shops near by and the residences in the vicinity. Fortunately no one was injured. The loss is about \$50,000; insured for \$40,000. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

## St. Louis Merchant Murdered.

PERTE, Ont., Sept. 29.—The body of a hardware merchant named Mitchell, of St. Louis, was found in a ditch near the railroad station here. A terrible gash on the back of his head told a tale of murder. His watch and \$6 were found in his pockets, but no letters or papers could be found. As he usually carried large sums, it is supposed the murder was for robbery.

## One Thousand and One Ballots.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 29.—At Evergreen J. F. Stallings, of Butler county, was nominated to represent this district in congress on the 1,001st ballot. At Decatur Gen. Wheeler was renominated without opposition to succeed himself in congress from the Eighth district for the seventh time.

## Workmen Pleased With It.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 29.—The Pennsylvania Railway Co. has introduced a new system at its car shops at Lower Pottsville, and all hands work by contract. The men are well pleased with the innovation and claim they can make more money. Besides this, twenty per cent more work is accomplished.

## Nitro-Glycerine Explosion.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 29.—A special to the Dispatch from Lima, O., says: "At 2 p. m. the nitro-glycerine magazine, one mile west of the Solar Oil Refinery, exploded with terrible force. Windows were shattered and houses jarred in this city, fully four miles away. Great excitement prevails. A number of lives are reported lost."

## Confirmed by Topper.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 29.—Notwithstanding the denial from London, Eng., that a man-of-war had been sent to Siberia to secure the release of Canadian sealers now supposed to be held prisoners there by Russians. Hon. C. H. Tupper, Canadian minister of marine, says the man-of-war is now on her way there.

## Cleveland's Plans.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—A special from Buzzard's Bay says that Grover Cleveland will leave for New York Thursday evening. Regarding his plans, Cleveland says they are unsettled, but that he will not attend any meetings or mingle in any political complications.

## Threw Down Their "Sticks."

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 29.—Because the Sauk County Co. refused to discharge 20 non-union men, 18 union printers walked out Tuesday night. Their places were immediately filled, as the strike had been anticipated, and the company had men in readiness.

## Scourged by Diphtheria.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 29.—Diphtheria is raging at a fearful rate at Butternut. Three deaths occurred Monday and many new cases were reported Tuesday. The schools have been closed, and every precaution is being taken to prevent the further spread of the scourge.

## The Militia Want Their Pay.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The state comptroller has written a letter to Gov. Flower asking that something be done immediately towards the payment of the members of the national guard for their services at Buffalo during the recent strike.

## A Love Tragedy.

STILLWATER, Minn., Sept. 29.—Mary Welcke was shot by Stephen Zecta and seriously if not fatally injured. Zecta ran a short distance, stopped, and putting the pistol to his head, blew out his brains. Unrequited love was the cause.

## Three Weeks of Rain.

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Sept. 29.—A cloud-burst visited this place, damaging property worth \$20,000. Many streets were inundated. Rain has fallen for twenty-two days.

## A Flop to Harrison.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 29.—The Indianapolis News (Independent) Wednesday came out for Harrison for president.

## SAN DIEGO.

The Cabrillo Celebration Attracts  
Thousands of Visitors.

The United States Cruisers Charleston  
and Baltimore Arrive.

Gov. Torres and Staff, of Lower California,  
and Several Prominent Californians  
Participate in Celebrating the Three  
Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 29.—This city presented a gala appearance Wednesday, nearly all the business houses and many private residences being tastefully decorated in honor of the Cabrillo celebration. A handsome pavilion has been erected at the plaza for the accommodation of visitors in attendance. At least 10,000 strangers have poured into the city during the opening days of the week and thousands more will arrive by rail and steamers. The U. S. cruisers Charleston and Baltimore have arrived and the former is anchored in the bay. Gov. Torres and staff, of Lower California, are here, and Gov. Markham, of the state, arrived Wednesday morning.

Among the other guests who have arrived are Inspector-General J. C. Breckenridge, U. S. A., of Washington, D. C.; Hon. B. F. Delvalle, of Los Angeles, the orator of the first day's celebration and Mayor Henry Hazard and the city council of Los Angeles. The First U. S. band of Fort Grant, Ariz., arrived Tuesday night and participated in an open air concert given at Plaza by the Twenty-fourth Mexican infantry band, which was sent from Guaymas to participate in the celebration. The official announcement made that Cabrillo would land at the foot of D street Wednesday morning was carried out, and was as near as possible a counterpart of the landing of the discoverer 350 years ago. Indians were there to meet him. After the landing the procession formed and the line of march was taken up, the parade being a most imposing one. Literary exercises on the platform were held in the afternoon. In the evening there was a banquet at Hotel Del Coronado for invited guests, a reception by the Indians and a concert on the plaza. All business houses are closed.

## Chesapeake and Nashville Sold.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 29.—The Chesapeake and Nashville railroad was sold at public auction by Special Commissioner Doak to satisfy a decree of the United States circuit court against the road in favor of the Mississippi Valley Construction Co. The road was purchased by Mr. Walter H. Weber, of New York, for the construction company, through his attorney, Holmes Cummings, of Memphis. The amount paid was \$310,000. The road runs from Gallatin, Tenn., to Scottville, Ky. The road is to be operated by a new company.

## Rotten to the Core.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The state banking department has made application for the appointment of a receiver for the Life and Reserve association. Affidavits were made that the funds of the association were short and that the deficit would reach \$190,000. Judge Lewis reserved his decision until Friday. The report of the state bank examiner says that the institution is rotten to the core and that the ex-president, Judge Harlan J. Swift, owes it \$61,000 and that Director Carlin owes it \$21,000.

## After the Bogus Spice Dealers.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 29.—The state food and dairy commissioner Wednesday morning secured samples of imitation ginger, cinnamon, cloves, allspice and pepper. These are the most vile adulterations, having every appearance of genuine articles, thereby deceiving the purchaser, but without one particle of the pure spice. They are offered to wholesale dealers and spice men at a very low figure in car lots, to be mixed with a small per cent of the genuine and sold as pure goods.

## Brooks' New Comet.

GENEVA, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Prof. Brooks, director of the Smith observatory, has re-observed his new comet after an interval of cloudy weather. He finds it three times brighter than it appeared at first. It is now in the constellation Gemini, right ascension 7 hours 16 minutes; declination north 27 degrees 31 minutes. The comet is moving eastward, approaching both the earth and the sun, and will increase in brightness for several months.

## The Irish Commission Approved.

DUBLIN, Sept. 29.—The Independent (Parnellite) hails with pleasure the proposed appointment of a commission to examine into the question of evictions, and especially the apparent extension of the scope of the inquiry to the evictions that occurred in the days of the land league, as well as the latter sufferings by the adventures of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien.

## Miners to Be Tried.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 29.—The grand jury in the circuit court at Clinton found a number of true bills against miner prisoners charging them with rioting in the late Coal Creek troubles. A true bill was found against D. R. Monroe, the recognized leader of the miners, charging him with riot and murder.

## A Berlin Jack the Ripper.

BERLIN, Sept. 29.—A dead body of a woman of the town has been found in a sand pit near the Sanbrueck brewery, near Charlottenburg. The woman had been strangled and then mutilated in the same manner as the victims of Jack the Ripper. This is the second crime of the kind committed in Berlin recently.

## Will Oppose the Sugar Trust.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Mollenhauer Sugar Refining Co. is organized independent of the big trust, and is completing a large refinery at the foot of Division avenue to cost \$1,000,000. It will have a refining capacity of 2,000 barrels of sugar.

## CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country  
by Telegraph.

Mitchell Winn, of Indianapolis, Ind., was stabbed to death by an unknown. Six men were terribly injured in a camp-meeting riot at Aden Springs, Ky.

The medical authorities declare that the danger of a cholera epidemic in Belgium is over.

Isolated cholera cases and deaths have occurred at Ghent, in Belgium, and at Meerssen, Utrecht, Deef, Groningen, The Hague and other towns in Holland.

In honor of the birth of his daughter, the Emperor William will pardon all female prisoners serving terms for first offenses committed while in distress or in fits of anger.

Twelve persons have died at Angouleme, France, from the effects of eating what they supposed to be mushrooms. Many other persons who partook of the supposed mushrooms are still suffering.

It is said that in view of the reassuring advice from New York the governor general of Cuba will modify the quarantine regulations within a few days.

Diphtheria, scarlet fever and typhoid fever threaten to become an epidemic at Indianapolis, Ind. The health board has flagged thirty-three cases of diphtheria, and, in seeking a cause for typhoid fever in one neighborhood, analyzed the water of six wells, finding five to be foul.

At Wednesday's meeting of the national convention of American cemetery superintendents at Baltimore, the following officers were elected: Wm. Salway, of Cincinnati, president; Tim McCarthy, of Providence, R. I., vice president; Frank Eulich, of Toledo, O., secretary and treasurer.

Under the authority conferred by the last naval appropriation bill providing for the construction of two new vessels for the navy, one a sea-going battle ship of pine thousand tons displacement, and one an armored cruiser of eight thousand tons displacement, proposals were Wednesday issued by the navy department for their construction.

The Rome correspondent of the Catholic News cabled Wednesday that the pope has ordered the propaganda to carry out the necessary formalities for the erection of the diocese of Dallas, Texas, into an archbishopric. The diocese of Dallas comprises 108 counties in the northwest of Texas and embraces about 100,000 square miles.

A. M. Day, of the firm of Counselman & Day, Chicago, was suspended for thirty days by the board of trade directors Wednesday afternoon for alleging and declining to prove that the firm of Norton & Worthington had been trading in puts and calls, which practice is contrary to the rules of the board and laws of the state.

## THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 29.  
FLOUR—Winter patent, \$3.00 3/4; 2 1/2, \$2.90 3/4; 2, \$2.80 3/4; 1 1/2, \$2.70 3/4; 1, \$2.60 3/4; 3/4, \$2.50 3/4; 1/2, \$2.40 3/4; 1/4, \$2.30 3/4; 1/8, \$2.20 3/4; 1/16, \$2.10 3/4; 1/32, \$2.00 3/4; 1/64, \$1.90 3/4; 1/128, \$1.80 3/4; 1/256, \$1.70 3/4; 1/512, \$1.60 3/4; 1/1024, \$1.50 3/4; 1/2048, \$1.40 3/4; 1/4096, \$1.30 3/4; 1/8192, \$1.20 3/4; 1/16384, \$1.10 3/4; 1/32768, \$1.00 3/4; 1/65536, \$0.90 3/4; 1/131072, \$0.80 3/4; 1/262144, \$0.70 3/4; 1/524288, \$0.60 3/4; 1/1048576, \$0.50 3/4; 1/2097152, \$0.40 3/4; 1/4194304, \$0.30 3/4; 1/8388608, \$0.20 3/4; 1/16777216, \$0.10 3/4; 1/33554432, \$0.05 3/4; 1/67108864, \$0.02 3/4; 1/134217728, \$0.01 3/4; 1/268435456, \$0.00 3/4; 1/536870912, \$0.00 3/4; 1/1073741824, \$0.00 3/4; 1/2147483648, \$0.00 3/4; 1/4294967296, \$0.00 3/4; 1/8589934592, \$0.00 3/4; 1/17179869184, \$0.00 3/4; 1/34359738368, \$0.00 3/4; 1/68719476736, \$0.00 3/4; 1/137438953472, \$0.00 3/4; 1/274877906944, \$0.00 3/4; 1/549755813888, \$0.00 3/4; 1/1099511627776, \$0.00 3/4; 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